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Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.
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Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.		
		Oversea Origin.		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.
		£		£	£	£
Ale and Beer ...	May 1911	40,778		164	666	830
	do. 1910	35,103		129	439	568
	5 months of 1911	212,612		693	2,943	3,636
	do. 1910	169,683		810	3,014	3,824
Animals Living—						
Horses ...	May 1911	28,215		4,502	2,050	6,552
	do. 1910	18,750		8,660	1,500	10,160
	5 months of 1911	153,016		65,250	2,290	67,540
	do. 1910	75,475		79,225	5,136	84,361
Cattle ...	May 1911	75		3,914	...	3,914
	do. 1910	...		894	...	894
	5 months of 1911	3,168		13,141	...	13,141
	do. 1910	676		4,874	...	4,874
Sheep ...	May 1911	1,249		928	...	928
	do. 1910	1		953	...	953
	5 months of 1911	4,440		7,176	...	7,176
	do. 1910	3,270		4,814	...	4,814
Apparel and all Descriptions of Soft Goods	May 1911	858,763		3,674	15,828	19,502
	do. 1910	793,798		3,848	16,994	20,842
	5 months of 1911	6,339,610		17,013	58,492	75,505
	do. 1910	5,844,469		17,618	63,705	81,323
Biscuits	May 1911	452		7,591	23	7,614
	do. 1910	625		5,491	...	5,491
	5 months of 1911	2,394		30,865	52	30,917
	do. 1910	2,251		24,471	11	24,482
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns ...	May 1911	101		2,948	63	3,011
	do. 1910	165		2,774	...	2,774
	5 months of 1911	515		12,937	63	13,000
	do. 1910	1,024		12,549	...	12,549
Boots and Shoes	May 1911	36,065		1,586	302	1,888
	do. 1910	25,582		1,780	559	2,339
	5 months of 1911	173,538		5,346	1,295	6,641
	do. 1910	169,442		6,826	1,579	8,405
Butter	May 1911	74		176,650	...	176,650
	do. 1910	2,262		84,901	...	84,901
	5 months of 1911	425		2,260,507	...	2,260,507
	do. 1910	2,769		1,547,633	...	1,547,633
Cement	May 1911	7,827		10	411	421
	do. 1910	7,784		200	171	371
	5 months of 1911	55,130		892	1,383	2,275
	do. 1910	43,712		868	1,660	2,528
Cheese	May 1911	1,028		6,043	50	6,093
	do. 1910	1,265		247	27	274
	5 months of 1911	5,184		20,781	175	20,956
	do. 1910	5,060		9,948	186	10,134

Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.	
		Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Coal ...	May 1911	...	91,629	...	91,629
	do. 1910	3,392	138,464	...	138,464
	5 months of 1911	...	350,491	...	350,491
	do. 1910	329,596	303,103	350	303,453
Cocoa and Chocolate—all forms ...	May 1911	37,219	...	389	389
	do. 1910	29,237	23	378	401
	5 months of 1911	127,427	9	904	913
	do. 1910	121,909	62	698	760
Coffee and Chicory—all forms ...	May 1911	15,809	48	211	259
	do. 1910	9,443	21	342	363
	5 months of 1911	46,053	187	1,415	1,602
	do. 1910	38,774	135	1,345	1,480
Copper Ingots and Copper contained in Matte	May 1911	...	201,621	...	201,621
	do. 1910	...	195,631	...	195,631
	5 months of 1911	67	990,054	...	990,054
	do. 1910	6	745,767	16	745,783
Cordage and Twines ...	May 1911	48,303	574	2,981	3,555
	do. 1910	41,080	693	2,744	3,437
	5 months of 1911	277,134	2,804	10,098	12,902
	do. 1910	233,085	2,825	8,744	11,569
Drugs and Chemicals ...	May 1911	79,612	6,745	2,849	9,594
	do. 1910	90,758	5,766	2,829	8,595
	5 months of 1911	453,665	24,702	14,602	39,304
	do. 1910	421,945	19,169	14,061	33,230
Earthenware, China, etc....	May 1911	34,315	577	237	814
	do. 1910	23,461	298	294	592
	5 months of 1911	180,168	1,827	1,322	3,149
	do. 1910	123,018	889	1,440	2,329
Fish (all kinds)...	May 1911	23,541	703	1,447	2,150
	do. 1910	20,258	1,431	1,023	2,454
	5 months of 1911	262,350	4,495	5,335	9,830
	do. 1910	216,032	4,798	4,787	9,585
Fruits, Dried— Currants ...	May 1911	605	5	6	11
	do. 1910	1,634	...	8	8
	5 months of 1911	2,185	5	45	50
	do. 1910	7,062	4	52	56
Raisins ...	May 1911	104	305	9	314
	do. 1910	589	295	14	309
	5 months of 1911	600	378	93	471
	do. 1910	4,601	801	45	846
Other ...	May 1911	2,271	579	117	696
	do. 1910	2,140	725	35	760
	5 months of 1911	11,466	9,922	2,074	11,996
	do. 1910	14,577	1,237	232	1,469
Fruits, Fresh— Apples ...	May 1911	...	42,566	1	42,567
	do. 1910	...	5,998	...	5,998
	5 months of 1911	366	306,617	36	306,653
	do. 1910	1	237,106	4	237,110
All other ...	May 1911	23,461	4,380	45	4,425
	do. 1910	2,988	2,659	74	2,733
	5 months of 1911	63,001	36,789	297	37,086
	do. 1910	54,784	20,111	1,501	21,612
Furniture ...	May 1911	22,292	1,012	229	1,241
	do. 1910	11,892	928	301	1,229
	5 months of 1911	93,579	6,076	1,115	7,191
	do. 1910	68,036	3,990	1,258	5,248
Glass and Glassware ...	May 1911	42,156	638	612	1,250
	do. 1910	33,304	365	579	944
	5 months of 1911	207,017	1,959	3,969	5,928
	do. 1910	166,388	1,833	3,579	5,412
Gold, uncoined ...	May 1911	171,273	248,226	...	248,226
	do. 1910	94,958	335,716	...	335,716
	5 months of 1911	635,195	957,694	...	957,694
	do. 1910	344,288	1,198,325	...	1,198,325

Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.		
		Oversea Origin.		Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.
		£		£	£	£
Grain and Pulse, Unprepared—						
Barley	May 1911	7,938		109		109
	do. 1910	65		3		3
	5 months of 1911	11,706		1,083		1,083
	do. 1910	2,018		2,913		2,913
Maize	May 1911	200		82		82
	do. 1910	595		12		12
	5 months of 1911	1,438		417		417
	do. 1910	16,790		45	7	52
Oats	May 1911			2,112		2,112
	do. 1910	157		538	9	547
	5 months of 1911	357		15,030	37	15,067
	do. 1910	1,124		6,672	682	7,354
Wheat	May 1911			609,852		609,852
	do. 1910	80		514,928		514,928
	5 months of 1911	36		5,700,817		5,700,817
	do. 1910	108		7,215,541		7,215,541
Other	May 1911	2,771		4,340	14	4,354
	do. 1910	2,344		1,488	25	1,513
	5 months of 1911	8,918		19,203	263	19,466
	do. 1910	5,755		17,054	186	17,240
Grain and Pulse, Prepared—						
Bran, Pollard, and Sharps ...	May 1911	23		2,842		2,842
	do. 1910	2,108		1,862	59	1,921
	5 months of 1911	28		44,203		44,203
	do. 1910	2,595		14,363	198	14,561
Flour	May 1911	40		121,123		121,123
	do. 1910	48		109,163		109,163
	5 months of 1911	919		524,134		524,134
	do. 1910	1,477		575,993		575,993
Oatmeal, etc.	May 1911	284		52	8	60
	do. 1910	543		344	19	363
	5 months of 1911	1,938		430	72	502
	do. 1910	2,490		2,045	108	2,153
Rice	May 1911	57,184			6,145	6,145
	do. 1910	16,778			5,717	5,717
	5 months of 1911	164,348			28,899	28,899
	do. 1910	139,027			24,950	24,950
Other	May 1911	4,663		1,685	47	1,732
	do. 1910	2,632		2,190	733	2,923
	5 months of 1911	21,852		4,596	103	4,699
	do. 1910	18,590		5,472	951	6,423
Hats and Caps	May 1911	16,401		149	265	414
	do. 1910	15,166		170	181	351
	5 months of 1911	107,368		759	1,255	2,014
	do. 1910	94,080		1,047	1,284	2,331
Hay and Chaff	May 1911	16		1,002		1,002
	do. 1910	16		1,276		1,276
	5 months of 1911	57		4,954		4,954
	do. 1910	162		3,708		3,708
Hops	May 1911	1,628		6	27	33
	do. 1910	2,260		554		554
	5 months of 1911	28,684		18	208	226
	do. 1910	21,038		572	64	636
Implements and Machinery—Agricultural, Horticultural, and Viticultural	May 1911	66,664		2,973	1,574	4,547
	do. 1910	17,771		17,734	886	18,620
	5 months of 1911	295,838		23,113	4,339	27,452
	do. 1910	257,037		36,552	6,478	43,030
Indiarubber goods	May 1911	94,592		7,110	2,725	9,835
	do. 1910	50,283		4,178	823	5,001
	5 months of 1911	370,066		37,426	12,793	50,219
	do. 1910	255,736		21,583	7,015	28,598
Iron and Steel—						
Bar, Rod, etc., Blooms, Slabs, etc., Girders, Joists, etc.	May 1911	156,952		388	2,104	2,492
	do. 1910	107,173		141	839	980
	5 months of 1911	683,512		1,613	8,328	9,941
	do. 1910	513,493		856	5,802	6,658

Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.		
		Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	
Iron and Steel—continued.						
Galvanized—Plate and Sheet ...	May 1911	125,239	...	2,097	2,097	
	do. 1910	115,073	...	2,501	2,501	
	5 months of 1911	739,067	44	11,585	11,629	
	do. 1910	694,346	9	15,524	15,533	
Pig and Scrap ...	May 1911	19,771	471	30	501	
	do. 1910	5,023	193	147	340	
	5 months of 1911	89,161	951	3,384	4,335	
	do. 1910	57,322	892	4,497	5,389	
Jams and Jellies ...	May 1911	595	1,158	27	1,185	
	do. 1910	639	3,288	6	3,294	
	5 months of 1911	3,089	7,381	95	7,476	
	do. 1910	3,099	12,741	70	12,811	
Jute Goods, including Bags and Sacks (Bran, Flour, and Corn, Gunny and Ore and Woolpack)	May 1911	74,743	339	2,283	2,622	
	do. 1910	74,697	8	1,204	1,212	
	5 months of 1911	279,689	553	6,076	6,629	
	do. 1910	413,740	47	5,873	5,920	
Lead—Pig, and Lead contained in Matte	May 1911	...	103,224	...	103,224	
	do. 1910	...	91,803	...	91,803	
	5 months of 1911	208	396,202	2	396,204	
	do. 1910	929	365,945	83	366,028	
Leather ...	May 1911	25,626	46,225	1,198	47,423	
	do. 1910	35,554	32,177	2,085	34,262	
	5 months of 1911	124,535	170,119	7,958	178,077	
	do. 1910	144,960	185,219	10,031	195,250	
Machines and Machinery (all kinds, except Agricultural, for which see “Implements”)	May 1911	315,269	1,550	9,532	11,082	
	do. 1910	227,038	1,356	6,810	8,166	
	5 months of 1911	1,462,823	29,676	33,032	62,708	
	do. 1910	1,182,425	12,176	28,984	41,160	
Manures ...	May 1911	32,024	10,076	2	10,078	
	do. 1910	55,079	10,174	98	10,272	
	5 months of 1911	289,627	52,039	909	52,948	
	do. 1910	363,971	45,204	1,205	46,409	
Matches and Vestas ...	May 1911	14,604	...	258	258	
	do. 1910	9,992	153	410	563	
	5 months of 1911	71,074	...	1,318	1,318	
	do. 1910	46,594	154	1,663	1,817	
Meats, Preserved by Cold Process—						
Beef ...	May 1911	1	147,349	...	147,349	
	do. 1910	...	135,367	...	135,367	
	5 months of 1911	146	378,239	...	378,239	
	do. 1910	3	326,355	...	326,355	
Mutton and Lamb ...	May 1911	...	37,839	...	37,839	
	do. 1910	...	186,131	...	186,131	
	5 months of 1911	10	404,445	...	404,445	
	do. 1910	...	688,053	...	688,053	
Poultry ...	May 1911	27	512	...	512	
	do. 1910	5	109	...	109	
	5 months of 1911	169	1,869	...	1,869	
	do. 1910	82	922	...	922	
Rabbits and Hares ...	May 1911	...	12,946	...	12,946	
	do. 1910	...	10,158	...	10,158	
	5 months of 1911	...	87,002	...	87,002	
	do. 1910	...	80,452	...	80,452	
Meats, Preserved in Tins...	May 1911	2,248	83,196	120	83,316	
	do. 1910	2,197	51,107	26	51,133	
	5 months of 1911	10,434	259,368	733	260,101	
	do. 1910	9,381	193,139	208	193,347	
Metals, Manufactures of—						
Dutiable ...	May 1911	176,638	6,339	7,136	13,475	
	do. 1910	122,835	4,661	7,017	11,678	
	5 months of 1911	774,164	24,863	33,890	58,753	
	do. 1910	575,847	20,430	33,749	54,179	
Free ...	May 1911	214,482	Included in previous item.			
	do. 1910	181,437				
	5 months of 1911	961,887				
	do. 1910	852,550				

Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.			Period.		Imports.		Exports.		
					Oversea Origin.	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.	
					£	£	£	£	
Milk—									
Concentrated and Preserved ...			May	1911	2,337	1,503	571	2,074	
			do.	1910	6,901	455	377	832	
			5 months of	1911	16,476	5,490	2,275	7,765	
			do.	1910	42,128	1,975	2,122	4,097	
Oil—Kerosene ...									
			May	1911	32,909	...	1,124	1,124	
			do.	1910	42,320	...	812	812	
			5 months of	1911	142,741	...	5,192	5,192	
			do.	1910	245,782	...	4,096	4,096	
Onions									
			May	1911	55	3,489	...	3,489	
			do.	1910	96	1,899	...	1,899	
			5 months of	1911	306	16,960	...	16,960	
			do.	1910	495	8,775	...	8,775	
Ores (exclusive of Gold Ores the value of which is shown under "Gold Uncoined")									
			May	1911	2,511	70,562	3	70,565	
			do.	1910	522	51,735	1	51,736	
			5 months of	1911	16,697	332,689	84	332,773	
			do.	1910	6,531	293,066	61	293,127	
Paints, Colours, and Varnishes ...									
			May	1911	41,504	1,374	848	2,222	
			do.	1910	35,711	660	611	1,271	
			5 months of	1911	202,782	3,244	3,321	6,565	
			do.	1910	192,330	1,727	4,394	6,121	
Paper—									
Printing ...			May	1911	69,768	...	1,907	1,907	
			do.	1910	61,993	...	237	237	
			5 months of	1911	292,304	...	4,348	4,348	
			do.	1910	274,339	...	692	692	
All other ...			May	1911	74,955	147	554	701	
			do.	1910	49,244	132	368	500	
			5 months of	1911	346,937	852	4,297	5,149	
			do.	1910	255,120	622	3,124	3,746	
Pearlshell									
			May	1911	...	12,805	...	12,805	
			do.	1910	...	22,633	...	22,633	
			5 months of	1911	...	43,388	212	43,600	
			do.	1910	3	85,282	...	85,282	
Pickles and Sauces									
			May	1911	11,545	94	94	188	
			do.	1910	6,316	104	109	213	
			5 months of	1911	58,330	374	362	736	
			do.	1910	44,837	449	454	903	
Potatoes									
			May	1911	153	1,495	...	1,495	
			do.	1910	86	1,093	...	1,093	
			5 months of	1911	542	5,807	...	5,807	
			do.	1910	426	4,371	...	4,371	
Railway Material—Rails, Fish-plates, etc.									
			May	1911	90,149	3	744	747	
			do.	1910	40,132	142	255	397	
			5 months of	1911	504,309	3	4,503	4,506	
			do.	1910	270,052	289	3,330	3,619	
Silver—									
Bullion and Silver contained in Matte			May	1911	812	58,274	...	58,274	
			do.	1910	661	71,331	...	71,331	
			5 months of	1911	1,600	265,594	24	265,618	
			do.	1910	2,610	267,177	...	267,177	
Skins—									
Hides			May	1911	12,272	38,027	...	38,027	
			do.	1910	18,004	35,799	...	35,799	
			5 months of	1911	65,880	185,100	...	185,100	
			do.	1910	55,840	141,300	...	141,300	
Rabbit and Hare									
			May	1911	308	29,872	...	29,872	
			do.	1910	175	62,633	...	62,633	
			5 months of	1911	590	89,869	...	89,869	
			do.	1910	345	152,209	...	152,209	

Imports and Exports—continued.

Imports.			Exports.				
Oversea Origin.			Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.		
£			£	£	£		
Skins—continued.							
Sheep	May 1911	3,072	105,076	...	105,076
			do. 1910	1,444	116,997	...	116,997
			5 months of 1911	8,501	500,360	...	500,360
			do. 1910	10,282	571,704	...	571,704
Other	May 1911	1,460	11,845	35	11,880
			do. 1910	9,050	55,495	...	55,495
			5 months of 1911	7,368	99,404	53	99,457
			do. 1910	30,420	155,750	11	155,761
Soap	May 1911	9,151	6,476	401	6,877
			do. 1910	6,412	5,950	258	6,208
			5 months of 1911	36,147	28,511	1,579	30,090
			do. 1910	36,123	26,187	1,393	27,580
Specie—							
Gold	May 1911	4	262,308	171,273	433,581
			do. 1910	10,501	188,919	94,958	283,877
			5 months of 1911	18,426	1,489,333	635,195	2,124,528
			do. 1910	67,001	883,923	344,288	1,228,211
Silver	May 1911	40,800	...	850	850
			do. 1910	2,000	...	3,951	3,951
			5 months of 1911	141,155	...	4,370	4,370
			do. 1910	95,556	...	7,610	7,610
Bronze	May 1911	280	...	...	...
			do. 1910	...	...	5	5
			5 months of 1911	982	...	6	6
			do. 1910	1,406	...	5	5
Spirits—							
Brandy	May 1911	17,932	118	111	229
			do. 1910	14,842	217	165	382
			5 months of 1911	66,589	222	431	653
			do. 1910	58,036	427	724	1,151
Gin (including Schnapps)	May 1911	9,062	...	146	146
			do. 1910	6,961	...	68	68
			5 months of 1911	58,780	...	637	637
			do. 1910	49,990	...	640	640
Whisky	May 1911	58,036	...	1,640	1,640
			do. 1910	33,488	10	821	831
			5 months of 1911	243,310	19	7,019	7,038
			do. 1910	200,822	10	5,447	5,457
Rum	May 1911	4,273	...	24	24
			do. 1910	5,669	...	45	45
			5 months of 1911	15,124	6	109	115
			do. 1910	19,460	6	139	145
Other	May 1911	11,371	1,322	529	1,851
			do. 1910	8,175	1,051	669	1,720
			5 months of 1911	50,021	5,618	6,616	12,234
			do. 1910	48,060	5,422	2,358	7,780
Sugar	May 1911	18,647	34	8,560	8,594
			do. 1910	27	116	13,227	13,343
			5 months of 1911	198,089	429	60,434	60,863
			do. 1910	230,677	205	41,249	41,454
Tallow (exports only)							
	May 1911	...	143,820	...	143,820
			do. 1910	...	167,388	32	167,420
			5 months of 1911	...	697,416	465	697,881
			do. 1910	...	703,105	269	703,374
Tea	May 1911	67,273	...	6,279	6,279
			do. 1910	62,314	...	8,577	8,577
			5 months of 1911	397,020	...	38,292	38,292
			do. 1910	400,770	...	35,667	35,667
Timber	May 1911	242,557	65,369	1,517	66,886
			do. 1910	148,686	100,818	2,738	103,556
			5 months of 1911	1,232,082	357,463	8,872	366,335
			do. 1910	738,470	392,536	11,019	403,555
Tin Ingots	May 1911	...	72,430	...	72,430
			do. 1910	...	49,908	...	49,908
			5 months of 1911	767	304,459	...	304,459
			do. 1910	894	213,315	...	213,315

Imports and Exports—continued.

Article.	Period.	Imports.		Exports.		
		Oversea	Origin	Australian Origin.	Oversea Origin.	Total.
		£		£	£	£
Tinned Plates ...	May 1911	25,708	...	...	176	176
	do. 1910	28,448	...	...	139	139
	5 months of 1911	188,143	...	...	965	965
	do. 1910	170,722	...	...	564	564
Tobacco—						
Manufactured ...	May 1911	13,992	5,751	3,319	9,070	
	do. 1910	11,690	6,170	5,583	11,753	
	5 months of 1911	64,508	23,218	15,950	39,168	
	do. 1910	57,178	27,888	22,119	50,007	
Unmanufactured ...	May 1911	60,425	...	20	20	
	do. 1910	34,026	...	...	...
	5 months of 1911	208,238	...	1,643	1,643	
	do. 1910	162,576	...	101	101	
Cigars ...	May 1911	18,764	...	647	647	
	do. 1910	6,429	...	263	263	
	5 months of 1911	61,510	...	2,002	2,002	
	do. 1910	34,806	...	1,185	1,185	
Cigarettes ...	May 1911	4,669	236	75	311	
	do. 1910	2,340	76	94	170	
	5 months of 1911	18,453	625	365	990	
	do. 1910	12,265	381	352	733	
Tools of Trade ...	May 1911	75,264	101	1,726	1,827	
	do. 1910	37,608	17	1,360	1,377	
	5 months of 1911	277,341	857	6,165	7,022	
	do. 1910	199,839	336	5,329	5,665	
Wine, Fermented—						
Sparkling ...	May 1911	9,971	65	404	469	
	do. 1910	7,152	60	183	243	
	5 months of 1911	56,165	739	1,214	1,953	
	do. 1910	36,046	287	1,554	1,841	
Other ...	May 1911	2,959	10,721	223	10,944	
	do. 1910	2,275	6,223	150	6,373	
	5 months of 1911	12,584	49,047	764	49,811	
	do. 1910	12,048	42,387	700	43,087	
Wool—						
Greasy ...	May 1911	317	580,062	...	580,062	
	do. 1910	107	302,897	96	302,993	
	5 months of 1911	4,147	6,237,809	...	6,237,809	
	do. 1910	3,974	7,762,779	96	7,762,875	
Scoured and Washed ...	May 1911	1,102	351,657	...	351,657	
	do. 1910	...	362,718	...	362,718	
	5 months of 1911	2,173	1,766,391	...	1,766,391	
	do. 1910	175	2,007,589	...	2,007,589	
All other Articles ...	May 1911	1,292,894	388,525	64,388	452,913	
	do. 1910	912,649	366,183	36,426	402,609	
	5 months of 1911	5,739,533	1,424,928	230,696	1,655,624	
	do. 1910	4,603,202	1,388,889	292,652	1,681,541	
Grand Totals ...	May 1911	5,215,472	4,236,228	332,306	4,568,534	
	do. 1910	3,912,511	3,959,985	230,484	4,190,469	
	5 months 1911	26,570,103	27,255,381	1,311,737	28,567,118	
	do. 1910	22,810,338	29,226,313	1,056,759	30,283,072	

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II. EXPORTS.

QUANTITY and Value of Principal Agricultural, Pastoral, and Dairy Produce of Australian Origin Exported from each State of the Commonwealth to Various Countries during the Five Months ended 31st May, 1911 and 1910.

NOTE.—In this Table no account has been taken of Transhipments. Particulars are referred to the State from which the goods were finally despatched from the Commonwealth.

Compiled from Information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision.)

Article and Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		Total, Five Months, 1911.		Total, Five Months, 1910.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£
BUTTER—																
United Kingdom ...	19,156,648	793,863	19,567,978	309,116	11,086,768	450,267	743,120	37,161	11,808	439	...	...	50,566,322	2,090,846	32,639,986	1,413,806
Canada ...	189,448	8,312	...	...	28,784	1,156	...	...	...	...	...	...	218,232	9,468	353,752	16,740
Ceylon ...	13,328	584	37,931	1,788	13,140	572	...	...	...	...	...	...	64,399	2,944	80,520	4,016
China ...	62,216	2,842	35,870	4,231	13,866	622	...	...	...	...	...	...	161,952	7,695	119,257	6,011
Dutch East Indies—																
Java ...	58,128	2,713	410,223	20,169	12,720	565	57,353	3,221	...	...	...	...	538,424	26,668	520,774	26,812
Other Islands ...	2,944	126	28,524	1,438	1,072	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,540	1,627	14,094	767
Egypt ...	65,520	2,878	16,800	700	80,599	3,409	...	...	...	...	...	...	162,919	6,987	109,428	5,144
Hong Kong ...	142,882	6,494	14,346	714	21,966	1,070	...	...	...	...	...	...	179,194	8,278	191,719	9,474
Islands in the Pacific—																
Fiji ...	27,659	2,209	2,286	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29,945	2,326	18,075	907
Hawaiian Islands...	9,774	501	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,774	501	8,176	438
New Caledonia ...	22,312	1,016	56	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22,368	1,018	18,080	838
Other Islands ...	26,246	1,203	1,610	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,856	1,282	22,241	1,062
Japan ...	30,352	1,388	11,744	584	65,757	2,924	...	...	...	...	...	...	107,853	4,896	45,996	2,261
Papua ...	9,404	429	176	10	2,670	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,250	580	11,468	562
Philippine Islands ...	38,584	1,684	17,907	875	92,850	4,382	...	...	...	...	...	...	149,341	6,941	120,678	5,893
South African Union ...	319,480	13,379	996,621	45,479	344,200	14,760	33,600	1,686	...	...	...	...	1,693,901	75,304	525,702	24,305
Straits Settlements ...	9,464	415	138,686	6,750	74,431	3,375	11,224	572	...	...	...	...	233,805	11,112	207,047	10,251
Other Countries ...	17,730	755	26,788	1,241	718	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	45,236	2,034	397,947*	18,346*
Total, Five Months { 1911	20,202,119	840,791	21,357,546	893,293	11,839,541	483,344	845,297	42,640	11,808	439	...	...	54,256,311	2,260,507	...	...
{ 1910	15,171,470	664,574	10,518,337	461,599	9,288,035	400,003	422,394	21,247	4,704	210	...	...	...	...	35,404,940	1,547,633

* Includes Netherlands, 374,584 lbs., £17,091.

Exports—continued.

Article and Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		Total, Five Months, 1911.		Total, Five Months, 1910.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£	Cental.	£
FLOUR—																
United Kingdom ...	811	320	215,701	83,826	...	...	39,524	15,630	8,787	3,376	...	...	264,823	103,152	254,408	119,442
Africa—Portuguese East ...	...	...	28,940	11,154	...	...	21,102	7,459	...	...	...	...	50,042	18,613	219,214	100,522
Ceylon ...	98	39	5,178	1,939	...	...	16,327	5,989	4,302	1,757	...	...	25,905	9,724	15,621	7,099
China ...	8,480	3,679	8,069	3,047	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,549	6,726	6,609	3,311
Cochin China ...	8,023	3,095	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,023	3,095	3,804	1,771
Dutch East Indies—																
Celebes ...	6,756	2,835	3,859	1,527	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,621	4,365	4,467	2,235
Java ...	54,515	22,593	90,028	27,630	...	...	90,425	36,091	2,430	876	...	...	237,398	87,190	124,717	58,353
Sumatra ...	9,609	4,098	6,045	2,430	...	...	9,257	3,843	221	77	...	...	25,132	10,448	10,399	5,073
Other Islands ...	2,723	1,159	10,988	4,691	100	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,811	5,890	4,177	2,103
Hong Kong ...	5,680	2,493	3,126	1,107	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,806	3,600	18,823	8,933
India ...	1,507	574	7,326	2,993	...	...	...	...	1,960	690	...	...	10,793	4,257	903	461
Islands in the Pacific—																
Fiji ...	11,098	4,653	482	185	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,580	4,838	10,446	4,945
New Caledonia ...	27,404	11,222	6,022	2,373	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33,426	13,595	28,035	13,573
New Hebrides ...	1,247	523	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,247	523	2,290	1,154
Other Islands ...	12,546	4,894	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,546	4,894	11,261	5,550
New Zealand ...	1,812	779	21,251	8,256	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23,063	9,035	16,016	7,521
Papua ...	2,289	1,005	409	162	58	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,756	1,203	1,631	874
Philippine Islands ...	58,971	25,350	35,218	13,882	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	94,193	39,234	61,589	30,657
South African Union ...	...	...	195,244	78,005	...	...	88,076	31,801	784	274	...	...	284,104	110,080	317,497	141,090
Straits Settlements ...	56,363	23,517	62,447	24,798	602	230	37,799	15,094	15,021	5,627	...	...	172,232	69,266	87,210	41,493
Other Countries ...	2,161	895	20,410	8,144	424	136	13,160	5,231	...	...	...	...	36,155	14,406	43,980	19,833
Total, 5 months { 1911	272,093	113,723	720,743	276,149	1,194	447	315,670	121,138	33,505	12,677	...	...	1,343,205	524,134	...	...
{ 1910	201,113	98,358	668,572	308,155	119	74	354,243	160,360	19,050	9,046	...	...	...	...	1,243,097	575,993
WHEAT—																
United Kingdom ...	3,474,504	1,015,447	3,818,394	1,153,209	...	...	4,655,764	1,307,954	802,131	228,952	...	...	12,750,793	3,705,562	16,007,886	5,567,957
Belgium ...	225,475	62,824	95,353	28,392	...	...	29,701	8,527	...	...	...	...	350,529	99,743	608,543	212,376
Canary Islands* ...	237,596	73,907	1,066,626	306,163	...	...	226,157	65,705	169,290	48,832	...	...	1,699,669	494,607	1,482,766	552,362
France ...	514,058	158,650	1,627,491	480,911	...	...	897,830	241,124	162,855	50,838	...	...	3,202,234	931,523	10,236	3,211
Germany ...	39,335	11,231	21,029	6,254	...	...	1,071	298	...	...	...	...	61,435	17,783	167,340	69,090
Italy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32,480	11,728
Madeira* ...	145,938	44,080	108,477	31,639	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	254,415	75,719	...	...
Peru ...	...	...	264,893	79,638	...	...	207,193	60,259	...	...	...	...	472,086	139,897	269,237	92,763
South African Union ...	...	...	205,412	59,456	...	...	305,110	86,615	...	...	...	...	510,522	146,071	1,639,720	575,610
Other Countries ...	68,889	19,402	133,818	37,308	6	2	107,158	33,160	135	40	...	...	310,006	89,912	364,636†	130,444†
Total, 5 months { 1911	4,705,795	1,385,541	7,341,493	2,182,970	6	2	6,429,984	1,803,642	1,134,411	328,662	...	...	19,611,689	5,700,817	...	...
{ 1910	4,574,095	1,674,645	6,626,248	2,305,429	10	4	8,330,922	2,876,095	1,051,569	359,368	...	...	...	...	20,582,844	7,215,541

* For orders.

† Includes Japan, 138,792 Centals, £49,379; and St. Vincent, for orders, 114,524 Centals, value £39,765.

Exports—continued.

Article and Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		Total, Five Months, 1911.		Total, Five Months, 1910.		
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	
WOOL (GREASY)—																	
United Kingdom ...	23,939,487	922,016	24,021,052	1,008,370	7,320,914	285,137	7,255,438	276,506	5,597,013	209,620	4,517,742	179,739	72,651,646	2,881,388	62,490,995	2,587,035	
Belgium ...	13,136,533	482,754	2,609,885	88,851	2,168,883	86,556	155,205	6,192	60,493	2,039	164,216	6,344	18,295,215	672,736	24,080,633	936,585	
Canada ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	208,269	10,695
France ...	25,164,571	879,530	8,086,973	274,337	4,509,329	170,079	282,074	7,519	...	...	638,640	30,152	38,681,587	1,361,617	50,292,670	1,961,795
Germany ...	21,081,942	795,995	3,014,518	116,903	2,584,710	101,180	98,607	3,010	...	...	228,597	9,000	27,008,374	1,026,088	42,707,575	1,793,275
India ...	...	...	356,593	14,900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	356,593	14,900	303,019	12,829
Italy ...	1,247,849	44,410	270,290	11,197	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,518,139	55,607	1,501,487	63,807
Japan ...	1,643,215	70,396	48,814	2,369	329,626	13,040	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,021,655	85,805	3,598,766	144,532
Netherlands ...	14,143	609	66,546	2,823	...	...	...	...	66,484	1,108	7,464	349	154,637	4,889	...	...
New Zealand ...	23,022	1,183	24,766	853	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47,788	2,036	34,998	1,692
Spain ...	5,028	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,028	100	...	...
United States ...	801,925	39,791	1,621,443	81,909	48,407	1,959	...	...	...	...	195,314	8,984	2,667,089	132,643	4,797,108	250,534
Total, 5 months {	1911	87,057,715	3,236,784	40,120,880	1,602,512	16,961,869	657,951	7,791,324	293,227	5,723,990	212,767	5,751,973	234,568	163,407,751	6,237,809
	1910	111,582,832	4,490,597	46,206,263	1,975,583	18,522,433	747,545	5,010,728	195,003	3,645,132	128,642	5,048,137	225,409	190,015,525	7,762,779
WOOL (SCOURED)—																	
United Kingdom ...	6,615,469	379,311	3,323,281	200,767	2,750,402	204,012	1,497,655	88,164	69,462	3,398	3,877	169	14,260,146	875,821	12,325,410	780,056	
Argentine Republic ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180	17
Austria-Hungary ...	...	...	962	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	962	37	...	...
Belgium ...	3,220,521*	175,087*	156,750	7,618	890,293	60,842	1,763	52	...	...	...	...	4,269,327	243,599	5,413,719	328,453
China ...	...	...	6,480	560	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,480	560	...	...
France ...	3,570,514	190,242	903,849	48,434	999,310	64,756	26,897	1,215	...	...	...	...	5,500,570	304,647	7,911,721	493,552
Germany ...	2,447,200†	176,276†	450,339	28,474	693,834	53,030	2,738	291	...	...	...	...	3,594,111	258,071	4,870,995	358,348
India ...	...	...	19,479	1,177	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,479	1,177	34,372	2,760
Italy ...	226,015‡	19,072‡	35,557	2,506	6,260	239	...	...	...	...	...	...	267,832	21,817	110,392	9,739
Japan ...	544,676§	60,353§	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	544,676	60,353	279,789	34,268
Netherlands ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,700	93	...	...	3,700	93	...	...
New Zealand ...	2,934	210	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,934	210	...	...
South African Union ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	6	...	...	...	...	120	6	...	...
United States ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,319	395
Total, 5 months {	1911	16,627,329	1,000,551	4,896,697	289,573	5,340,099	382,879	1,529,173	89,728	73,162	3,491	3,877	169	28,470,337	1,766,391
	1910	19,520,322	1,228,431	5,114,416	329,247	4,500,397	340,867	1,719,900	104,190	90,295	4,512	6,567	342	30,951,897	2,007,589

* Includes "Tops," 11,224 lbs., value £1,210.

† Includes "Tops," 151,400 lbs., value £17,138.

‡ Includes "Tops," 124,142 lbs., value £14,198.

§ "Tops."

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

III.

MAY, 1911.

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE.

STATEMENT shewing the Gross Revenue from Customs and Excise, under the Sixteen Tariff Divisions, and the Total Net Revenue collected, during the Month of May, 1911 and 1910, the Total for the first Five Months of the same years, and the Total for the Eleven Months of the Financial Years 1910-11 and 1909-10.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.
(Subject to Revision.)

DIVISION.	May.		Five Months of—		Eleven Months of Financial Year	
	1911.	1910.	1911.	1910.	1910-11.	1909-10.
CUSTOMS.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Div. 1. Ales, Spirits, and Beverages ...	254,486	207,449	1,042,019	927,728	2,321,082	2,110,196
„ 2. Tobacco, and Manufactures thereof ...	126,806	111,591	521,798	466,094	1,156,921	1,051,344
„ 3. Sugar ...	17,627	48,920	66,137	254,105	157,797	472,099
„ 4. Agricultural Products and Groceries ...	80,995	65,485	346,772	335,612	823,041	803,669
„ 5. Textiles, etc., and Attire ...	122,647	99,709	991,627	907,857	1,968,197	1,789,834
„ 6. Metals and Machinery ...	122,276	74,917	575,324	439,240	1,185,664	936,288
„ 7. Oils, Paints, and Varnishes ...	22,083	21,240	98,914	84,694	228,698	186,582
„ 8. Earthenware, etc. ...	27,702	20,855	142,911	107,856	313,345	228,434
„ 9. Drugs and Chemicals ...	8,213	6,753	39,597	34,564	88,846	72,864
„ 10. Wood, Wicker and Cane ...	41,631	29,907	212,326	145,298	433,888	302,786
„ 11. Jewellery and Fancy Goods ...	21,931	15,258	93,857	77,668	251,554	212,331
„ 12. Leather and Rubber ...	28,494	23,414	135,773	122,847	291,230	247,929
„ 13. Paper and Stationery ...	19,867	13,451	84,498	65,775	190,845	157,111
„ 14. Vehicles ...	18,856	9,659	77,955	54,710	161,627	115,042
„ 15. Musical Instruments ...	11,287	6,379	45,715	33,610	102,422	75,759
„ 16. Miscellaneous ...	20,001	16,857	102,663	83,753	245,951	209,218
Other Miscellaneous Receipts ...	2,923	850	18,249	13,810	35,093	29,703
Total Customs ...	947,825	772,694	4,596,135	4,155,221	9,956,201	9,001,189
EXCISE.						
Beer ...	43,772	38,777	269,510	256,694	580,910	547,529
Spirits ...	35,566	25,850	137,363	113,867	294,908	239,225
Starch ...	...	88	...	625	509	3,816
Sugar ...	66,013	33,476	351,258	203,704	738,967	511,288
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff ...	70,149	59,577	285,992	271,099	662,321	614,012
Licences, etc. ...	2	22	3,212	2,792	9,500	9,121
Total Excise ...	215,502	157,790	1,047,335	848,781	2,287,115	1,924,991
Total Gross Customs and Excise Collections ...	1,163,327	930,484	5,643,470	5,004,002	12,243,316	10,926,180
Drawbacks and Repayments ...	33,929	31,371	120,067	118,383	254,479	244,671
Total Net Revenue ...	1,129,398	899,113	5,523,403	4,885,619	11,988,837	10,681,509

NOTE.—The difference between the Total Net Customs and Excise Revenue stated in this Table and the figures in Tables VII. and VIII. is due to adjustments made in the Treasury.

MAY, 1911.

IV.

SHIPPING.

NUMBER, Net Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels which Entered or Cleared the Commonwealth of Australia during the Month of May, 1911 and 1910, and during the Five Months of the same Years.

Compiled from Returns furnished by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision.)

Description of Vessel.	Entered.						Cleared.					
	With Cargo.			With Cargo and in Ballast.			With Cargo.			With Cargo and in Ballast.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Steam	100	273,973	8,003	115	313,057	8,582	119	343,713	8,813	119	343,713	8,813
Sailing	26	17,423	349	47	48,928	782	53	69,560	1,017	57	72,704	1,069
Total—												
May 1911	126	291,396	8,352	162	361,985	9,364	172	413,273	9,830	176	416,417	9,882
1910	98	245,681	6,971	137	313,523	7,969	187	413,725	9,332	200	423,104	9,581
Total Five Months of 1911	608	1,503,145	42,310	856	1,930,583	49,087	871	2,057,330	49,190	901	2,116,522	50,307
1910	583	1,462,829	40,108	804	1,841,453	45,579	855	1,990,217	47,281	933	2,116,117	49,517

Note.—The difference between the Total Net Customs and Excise Revenue stated in this Table and the figures in Tables VII and VIII is due to adjustments made in the Treasury.

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V.

MIGRATION.

STATEMENT shewing the Number of Persons of each Nationality or Race who arrived in or departed from the Commonwealth during the Month of May, 1911 and 1910, together with the Total Numbers for the Five Months of the Years 1911 and 1910.

Compiled from Returns supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision.)

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	May.		Five months of—		May.		Five months of—	
	1911.	1910.	1911.	1910.	1911.	1910.	1911.	1910.
British ...	10,373	6,232	46,923	31,831	4,740	4,159	25,261	23,030
Austrian ...	176	75	720	525	38	42	192	277
Danish ...	29	22	176	90	12	12	76	57
Dutch ...	34	10	137	61	10	16	55	43
French ...	114	154	532	483	82	135	505	549
German ...	198	235	872	1,045	120	123	871	828
Greek ...	42	23	197	75	24	9	106	44
Italian ...	151	95	744	561	68	88	352	430
Russian ...	50	79	309	350	15	12	100	113
Scandinavian ...	130	96	666	488	108	106	489	421
Spanish ...	19	10	65	29	4	1	13	1
Swiss ...	5	5	58	36	3	12	25	24
Turkish ...	1	3	3	4	...	...	...	...
United States ...	109	59	394	265	34	69	225	317
Other White ...	90	13	224	49	11	10	74	50
Total, White Nationalities ...	11,521	7,111	52,020	35,892	5,269	4,794	28,344	26,184
Afghans ...	...	3	4	8	1	4	45	27
Chinese ...	552	232	1,067	808	420	276	1,240	1,171
Japanese ...	40	50	215	249	25	37	203	213
Malays ...	84	16	529	192	70	8	400	84
Natives of India and Ceylon ...	18	13	113	66	32	11	140	113
Syrians ...	6	20	67	49	10	2	42	18
Other Asiatics ...	16	1	43	38	...	3	58	11
Negroes, American ...	2	2	5	6	11	...	13	1
Papuans ...	...	78	122	313	12	72	192	251
Polynesians, Melanesians ...	36	6	84	188	7	10	45	108
Other Coloured ...	8	4	57	13	42	1	55	46
Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races ...	762	425	2,306	1,930	630	424	2,433	2,043
Total, all Nationalities or Races...	12,283	7,536	54,326	37,822	5,899	5,218	30,777	28,227

VI.

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MIGRATION.

STATEMENT shewing the Number of Persons who arrived in or departed from the Commonwealth of Australia, distributed according to the Countries whence they arrived or to which they departed, during the Month of May, 1911 and 1910, together with the Total Numbers for the Five Months of the Years 1911 and 1910.

Compiled from Returns supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.

(Subject to Revision.)

Country.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	May.		Five months of—		May.		Five months of—	
	1911.	1910.	1911.	1910.	1911.	1910.	1911.	1910.
United Kingdom ...	5,871	2,931	23,893	14,227	2,025	1,774	10,731	9,176
Canada ...	181	82	939	406	246	166	1,003	797
Cape Colony ...	215	151	841	587	89	109	400	523
Fiji ...	185	69	695	402	256	158	973	562
Hong Kong ...	278	181	648	558	95	223	567	708
India and Ceylon ...	184	217	1,150	1,176	120	76	560	664
Natal ...	26	6	132	233	65	201	617	925
New Zealand ...	3,233	2,645	16,138	13,467	1,711	1,236	8,863	8,534
Norfolk Island ...	5	8	54	40	7	...	45	35
Papua ...	90	133	478	580	45	152	512	561
Straits Settlements ...	106	60	561	517	92	103	589	460
Other British Possessions ...	57	33	139	143	41	15	244	174
Total, British Countries ...	10,431	6,516	45,668	32,336	4,792	4,213	25,104	23,119
China ...	280	72	522	320	119	4	529	481
France ...	316	81	1,075	638	201	224	1,208	1,167
Germany ...	123	61	500	433	39	55	478	425
Italy ...	217	170	1,217	1,109	175	146	998	914
Japan ...	59	58	204	248	44	42	339	331
New Caledonia ...	139	152	516	417	60	20	420	66
South Sea Islands ...	111	51	437	277	58	48	223	176
United States ...	95	33	343	254	95	61	342	341
Other Foreign Countries ...	512	342	3,844	1,790	316	405	1,136	1,207
Total, Foreign Countries ...	1,852	1,020	8,658	5,486	1,107	1,005	5,673	5,108
Total, all Countries ...	12,283	7,536	54,326	37,822	5,899	5,218	30,777	28,227

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VII.

COMMONWEALTH Revenue and Expenditure during the Month of May, 1911 and 1910.

REVENUE.			EXPENDITURE		
Source of Revenue.	May—		Heads of Expenditure.	May—	
	1911.	1910.		1911.	1910.
	£	£		£	£
Customs	940,863	741,987	Ordinary Expenditure	721,269	431,167
Excise	210,865	157,757	Additions, New Works	364,971	131,785
Post, Telegraph and Telephone	324,633	335,505	Amount paid to State Treasurers ...	104,335	605,176
Land Tax	87,551	...			
Defence	1,196	396			
Patents, Trade Marks, etc.	2,187	1,970			
Quarantine	548	255			
Repayment of States' Proportion of Pensions ...	21,931	...			
Coinage	25,826	...			
Northern Territory ...	2,432	...			
Contributions of Officers towards Pensions under State Acts	102	...			
Miscellaneous Receipts ...	2,489	2,047			
Total Revenue ...	1,620,623	1,239,917	Total Expenditure ...	1,190,575	1,168,128

VIII.

COMMONWEALTH Revenue and Expenditure during the Eleven Months ended 31st May, 1911 and 1910.

REVENUE.			EXPENDITURE.		
Source of Revenue.	Total for Eleven Months ended 31st May—		Heads of Expenditure.	Total for Eleven Months ended 31st May—	
	1911.	1910.		1911.	1910.
	£	£		£	£
Customs	9,710,519	8,757,732	Ordinary Expenditure...	7,676,020	6,152,928
Excise	2,274,641	1,924,088	Additions, New Works...	2,057,951	592,501
Post, Telegraph and Telephone	3,551,143	3,375,458	Amount paid to State Treasurers ...	5,246,130	7,304,748
Land Tax	97,767	...			
Defence	8,172	5,707			
Patents, Trade Marks, etc.	23,371	18,956			
Quarantine	6,246	4,195			
Repayment of States' Proportion of Pensions ...	21,931	...			
Coinage	184,175	...			
Northern Territory ...	7,880	...			
Contributions of Officers towards Pensions under State Acts	27,362	...			
Miscellaneous Receipts ...	28,268	46,683			
Deduct Advances ...	Dr. 15,500	Dr. 15,550			
Total Revenue ...	15,925,975	14,117,269	Total Expenditure ...	14,980,101	14,050,177